

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 801

By Finney R.

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kristina Carrodegua,  
2008 Valedictorian of Seymour High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kristina Carrodegua is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Seymour High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Carrodegua has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kristina has earned an exemplary perfect 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young lady has earned numerous other accolades, including recognition on the Honor Roll and as a National Hispanic Scholar Finalist; and

WHEREAS, an esteemed leader among her peers, she has served with distinction as the Secretary of the National Honor Society and as the Editor of the yearbook; and

WHEREAS, a valuable participant in her school's activities and her community's affairs, Miss Carrodegua has been a member of several academic, social, and civic organizations, including the Beta Club, Y-Teens, and the Keyettes; and

WHEREAS, Kristina's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at the University of Tennessee, where she will study under the auspices of a scholarship from Comcast; and

WHEREAS, Miss Carrodegua's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Diana and Jose Carrodegua, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Kristina's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Seymour High School Valedictorian, Kristina Carrodegua, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.